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FIVE MEN FROM 89TH RETURN TO COLUMBIA

G. F. King, L. C. Valentine, C. Pollock, O. G. Wilson, and Mark Fox Arrive.

IN FRANCE 1 YEAR

Out of 207 Men, 100 Were Wounded and 15 Were Killed.

Unannounced, five Columbia boys of Company M of the 356th Infantry, Eighty-Ninth Division, arrived here this morning, after being away almost a year. The soldiers are Sergeants George F. King, Leslie C. Valentine and Chester Pollock and Privates Ottis G. Wilson and Mark Fox. Sergeant George F. King is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. King of 108 College avenue. Private Ottis G. Wilson is a nephew of Mrs. S. M. Meyer of 19 West Broadway. The three other soldiers live near Ashland.

Other Columbia boys who have been discharged but who have not arrived here as yet are: Sergeant Hubert Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Morris of 207 South Tenth street, and Sergeant Charles Harrell, son of Mrs. and Mrs. George W. Harrell of 210 St. Joseph street. They are expected to arrive this evening or at latest tomorrow.

Sergeants Durwood L. Sapp and Seth R. Whitfield, both of Ashland, have also been discharged from the service and are expected home in a few days.

"These are all the boys from Boone County in our company that returned with us," said Sergeant George F. King today. "Out of the 207 men in our company, fifteen were killed in action and 100 were wounded."

Company M sailed with the Eighty-Ninth Division from Hoboken, N. J., June 4, 1918, and landed at Liverpool on June 16. Four days later the company arrived in France.

The Eighty-Ninth Division was in the thick of the fighting and was highly praised both by General Pershing and Marshal Foch for its record. Company M took part in the St. Mihiel drive from September 12 to September 16 and the Meuse-Argonne drive from October 19 to November 11, when the armistice was signed.

Upon the signing of the armistice Company M was sent into Germany, crossing the border on November 24. It remained attached to the Army of Occupation until May 11, 1919, when it was ordered back to the States.

Company M sailed on the Agamemnon from Brest, landing at Hoboken on May 24. From there it was taken to Camp Upton, L. I. Since leaving that camp, the company paraded both in St. Louis and Kansas City. The men received their discharges yesterday after spending a day at Camp Funston.

Sergeant King said this morning that every Columbia boy with the Eighty-Ninth Division had conducted himself in a true soldierly fashion when under fire. He refused to speak of his own experiences in the war, but said merely that he was happy to be back home in "good old Columbia."

"Company M boys who were killed in France will long be remembered by their comrades," Sergeant King said, "for their unselfishness and devotion to duty."

L. S. SHOCKLEY BACK FROM WAR

Columbia Man Spent Eleven Months of Service in France.

Lazelle S. Shockley, son of Mrs. S. A. Shockley, 708 Missouri avenue, who was graduated from the University in 1917, returned to Columbia Saturday, after eleven months in France. Mr. Shockley was with the 89th division which left America in June, 1918. He was stationed for two months in an American training camp near Bordeaux, France. In September his regiment left for the front, just after the end of the St. Mihiel drive, and remained there until two weeks after the signing of the armistice.

The regiment then marched into Western Germany through Luxemburg and was stationed about twenty miles north of Treves until May 8. The regiment landed in America May 24 and was stationed at Camp Upton, N. Y., for a week. Mr. Shockley was then sent to Camp Taylor, Ky., where he was discharged.

Will Return Laboratory Deposits. Miss Emmeline Smith, cashier of the University, announces that laboratory deposits at the University will be refunded beginning Monday afternoon, June 16, at 2 o'clock in Room 111, Academic Hall. All deposits not called for within twenty days after the close of the term will be forfeited.

Audrain County to Erect Memorial. By United Press.

MEXICO, June 12.—A bronze tablet bearing the name of every Audrain County man who died in the service is to be erected here, it was announced today. The tablet will be selected by the service flag committee of the Womens' Federated Clubs.

THE WEATHER

For Columbia and vicinity: Partly cloudy and continued warm tonight and Friday; probably occasional thundershowers.

For Missouri: Partly cloudy tonight and Friday; probably scattered thundershowers. Continued warm.

Weather Conditions.

Showery conditions have continued in Northwest Texas, in Oklahoma, Southern Kansas, Iowa, the Dakotas, Minnesota, and Illinois, and they fell at a few places in Missouri and Arkansas. Fair weather has continued in the East and South except there were showers in Florida and up the coast to South Carolina; generally fair weather prevails in the Rocky Mountains and Pacific coast region.

Normal temperatures obtain in the principal grain states.

The Missouri River continues to fall slowly.

The weather has not yet settled to steady fair, and consequently occasional thundershowers are likely during the next 36 hours.

Local Data.

The highest temperature in Columbia yesterday was 83; and the lowest last night was 70. Precipitation 0.00. Relative humidity noon yesterday was 80 per cent. A year ago yesterday the highest temperature was 100 and the lowest was 65. Precipitation 0.00.

(Summer time) Sun rose today 5:42 a. m. Sun sets 8:25 p. m. Moon sets 4:58 a. m.

The Temperatures Today.

7 a. m.	70	12 noon	84
8 a. m.	74	1 p. m.	86
9 a. m.	77	2 p. m.	86
10 a. m.	79	3 p. m.	88
11 a. m.	81	4 p. m.	89

RED CROSS TO MOVE

Campaign of Instruction in Health and Hygiene to Begin Soon.

The Boone County Chapter of the Red Cross will move from its present headquarters some time during the next week. The new location has not been decided upon. As soon as the chapter is settled in its new rooms a campaign of instruction in health and hygiene will begin under the direction of Miss Laura Franklin, public health nurse.

Miss Franklin's work will consist in visiting the home of those who ask for a nurse in any part of the county. She will remain as long as is necessary to show the family what to do for the patient. Her visit will cost nothing if the family is unable to pay for it; otherwise a fee of 50 cents will be charged for each visit.

When the chapter is settled in its new quarters, the Red Cross will be ready to receive calls from anyone. On Saturday afternoons, the nurse will hold free consultations for mothers and babies. If private physicians wish to have their cases followed up, they may send patients to these consultations.

Part of the new project in instruction of the people of the county is to conduct classes in hygiene and home care of the sick. Miss Franklin has already organized two classes near Harg. There has been a meeting of those interested in class work near Strawn but no class has been organized there.

In the course of time the Red Cross expects to have a physician in charge of the work.

M. U. MAN YOUNGEST MAJOR

M. W. Corum Tells of Experiences at the Front.

Martene W. Corum of Booneville, a former student of the School of Journalism, has been visiting the Sigma Nu fraternity for several days. He received his discharge at Camp Devens two months ago after being in France twenty-one months.

He was cited three times in division orders and once by General Pershing. He held the distinction of being the youngest major in the A. E. F. He is 24 years old.

In speaking of his experiences, Corum said that in the last seven days of the war his division was fighting northeast of Verdun and that during the week there were ten thousand casualties. At that time he was captain of a line company and was ordered over the top. He had 179 men and four officers. When he returned he had forty men and he was the only officer.

R. M. Green's Name Listed by Mistake.

Through an error the name of R. M. Green, assistant professor of farm management, was listed in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch among others submitted to the Board of Curators by persons who filed charges against President Hill. The article was reprinted in last night's Missourian. According to J. G. Babb, secretary of the University, the name should have been Dr. C. W. Greene and not R. M. Green.

John S. Moore Visits Here.

John S. Moore, Y.M.C.A. director at Camp Knox, Ky., has been visiting his family in Columbia this week. He returned to Camp Knox today. Mr. Moore had prepared to go to France for Y.M.C.A. work with the army of occupation but the rapid return of the American troops will mean probably that he will not make the trip.

D. A. R. to Meet.

The Columbia D. A. R. will meet at the home of Mrs. Berry McAlister, East Hinkson avenue, at 2:45 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

HOSPITAL LOCATION REMAINS UNDECIDED

Board of Trustees to Meet Again Next Saturday Morning.

FOUR SITES LEFT

Accessibility to Sewers, Water and Light Considered.

After many hours of argument and debate, the members of the Board of Trustees of the Boone County Public Hospital have failed to agree on a site for the new building. The board met at 9 o'clock this morning and adjourned this afternoon at 4 o'clock when N. T. Gentry, secretary of the board, left for Mexico, Mo., to try a case.

Before the board adjourned it was decided that the members would meet again at 8:30 o'clock Saturday morning to continue their discussion of the possible sites and if possible to choose one at that time.

The only outward result from today's work was the sifting out of three sites leaving only four to decide upon. The board today visited the office of the water and light department and the city engineer's office to look at the maps of the water, light and sewerage systems near the possible sites. One member said that much depended upon these conditions as to the site to be chosen. Some of these sites were given up because of lacking these necessities.

"We cannot locate a hospital where there is only a 3-inch sewer-main," said one of the members, "or where the water main is only of 2-inch pipe."

KNOX BILL TO SENATE

Senate Committee Votes 8 to 7 for Resolution on League.

By L. C. MARTIN (United Press Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, June 12.—The Senate foreign relations committee today by a vote of eight to seven ordered a favorable report on the Knox resolution, which virtually is directed to separate the League of Nations covenant from the peace treaty proper.

The resolution, if passed by the Senate, will notify the world that the United States reserves the right to delay action on the League of Nations until the Senate and the people decide whether they desire membership or not.

Today's developments are regarded as the opening of the fight to amend the covenant as approved by President Wilson in Paris, a course, which, if successful, Republican leaders admit, will result finally in the United States making a separate peace with Germany.

By a vote of eight to six the committee approved Senator Lodge's motion that section 5 of the resolution be struck out. This section pledged the United States in case of future wars to come to the rescue as she did in the recent one.

Senator Knox was authorized to report his resolution to the Senate at once. The resolution is certain, Senate leaders declared, to be the center of the bitterest fight yet heard on the League of Nations, and administration leaders regard it as the beginning of a campaign, first, to divide the peace treaty and the League of Nations covenant and second, to kill the covenant.

MEN'S CLOTHING TO GO HIGHER

Ludwig Stein Says That Suits Will Cost \$50 to \$75 Next Spring.

A dispatch from Kansas City says that ordinary suits for men next spring will cost the wearer from \$50 to \$75 each and the public is ready to pay that for a suit. This statement was made by Ludwig Stein, president of the National Clothing Manufacturers' Association before the Midwest Reconstruction Conference of retail clothiers' meeting in this city. Stein declared that cloth was and would be scarce because of a lack of labor. He said that the tendency in men's styles is turning slowly back to plain models.

The reconstruction conference is being attended by more than five hundred retail clothiers of Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma, Nebraska and Colorado.

U. S. SETTLES S. A. T. C. CLAIM

Government Pays \$36,723.24 Squaring University's Account.

E. E. Brown, business manager of the University, has just received a check from the War Department for \$36,723.24, in settlement of the University's claim for expenses incurred by both the collegiate and vocational sections of the S. A. T. C.

This check squares all claims of the University against the War Department for S. A. T. C. expenses except one claim against the surgeon-general's office. This is to defray the cost of caring for sick soldiers here during the influenza epidemic.

20,000 RAIL OFFICES AFFECTED BY STRIKE

After Saturday R. R. Operators Ordered to Refuse W. U. Messages.

SEEK CONGRESS' AID

Strike Situation in New York Reported Unchanged Today.

All members of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers were ordered today by their president to refuse all Western Union business after Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, according to word reaching Columbia. This order will affect, it is said, over 20,000 railroad offices in the United States and Canada.

By United Press.

CHICAGO, June 12.—That all divisions of the telegraphers will join the strike of keys, was indicated by a message received by S. J. Koenekamp, president of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union of America, today from the eastern broker operators' division saying that the members had voted on a sympathetic strike.

Western broker operators are understood by Koenekamp to be considering a strike in sympathy with the commercial telegraphers. Koenekamp said that until a decision was reached by the western division, and the official facts were laid before him for consideration, he would not decide whether he would give his approval or not.

Chief Operator Jones said of the 166 operators who were reported out in the United States at noon yesterday, many had returned. He described the situation as "practically normal."

E. C. Collier, general superintendent of the central division of the Postal Telegraph Company, said that early this morning the service throughout that section was greatly improved. Fifteen of the Chicago operators who struck yesterday, returned today.

Strikers Seek Congress' Aid.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—The striking telegraph operators are today seeking aid of Congress in their fight against the two telegraph companies and Postmaster-General Burleson.

A delegation of strikers today called on Senator Watson, Indiana, to urge him to press the resolution for the investigation of the wire administration.

Situation Same in New York.

By United Press.

NEW YORK, June 12.—With both sides apparently satisfied, the strike situation here remains unchanged today.

Traffic officials at the Western Union say that there has been no interference with their work. The Postal Telegraph Company announced that it would issue a statement later. The last utterance of strike leaders was that there were 1,000 men on strike in New York but that there has been no increase.

GIVES REPORT ON WIRE BILL

House Committee Favors Return of Lines to Private Ownership.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—Favorable report on the Senate bill for return of the telephone and telegraph lines to the owners was made today by the House interstate and foreign commerce committee.

JOURNALISM BUILDING NAMED

School of Journalism's New Home to Be Called Jay H. Neff Hall.

Jay H. Neff Hall is the official name of the new building to be erected for the School of Journalism on the West Campus.

The late Jay H. Neff was the father of Ward A. Neff, who was the donor of the new building. Jay H. Neff was a pioneer editor of Kansas City, specializing in reporting news of live stock markets. He became connected with the old Kansas City Daily Price Current, bought a half-interest in it and assumed active control. When the Kansas City packing houses were built he changed the name of his paper to the Daily Drovers Telegram.

He not only built up this paper until it became a striking success, but he went into other cities and founded the system of Corn Belt Dailies, which now includes live stock papers in Kansas City, Omaha, East St. Louis and Chicago.

No Trousers, But a Suit.

By United Press.

OKLAHOMA CITY, June 12.—Being forced to walk a mile and a half through the streets of your own home town trouserless does seem rather embarrassing. Such was the experience of J. H. Wilkin, bank president after some conscienceless person had robbed his berth. His suit against Walker D. Hines, director general of railroads, was set for today in the district court.

County Audit Delivered Tomorrow.

The report of the county audit will be delivered tomorrow morning. It has been complete for a time but will be officially presented then.

THE CALENDAR

June 16—June term of Boone County Circuit Court meets.
June 17—Luncheon for the Boone County Suffrage League at 12:30 p. m., in the Virginia Grill.
June 17 to July 27—Y. W. C. A. outing at Hollister.
June 19—Spring term of the University ends.
June 20—Enrollment for summer term of the University.
June 21—R. O. T. C. camp at Camp Funston starts.
July 4—Clifford Dewey, Corporation will present three plays in the University Auditorium.
August 14—Summer term of the University ends.
August 26—Registration for the fall term of the University starts.

TRANSPORT COLLIDES

Graf Waldersee Towed to Safety After Wreck With Cargo Ship.

By United Press.

NEW YORK, June 12.—The transport Graf Waldersee reached the beach at Long Island, N. Y., today after having been rammed in a collision with the cargo ship Redondo in a fog off Sandy Hook.

The Waldersee, formerly a Hamburg-American liner, was towed to safety by the American transport Patricia. She was filling rapidly when she reached the shore. The crew was rescued by the Patricia. The Redondo continued her voyage to New York. The crew of the steamship Yankee, sunk in a collision with the Italian Argentina off Fire Island, will be brought here. A fog also caused this collision.

CALLS EXTRA SESSION

Gov. Gardner Summons Legislature to Vote on Suffrage Amendment.

By United Press.

JEFFERSON CITY, June 12.—Governor Gardner today called a special session of the Legislature to act on the constitutional amendment enfranchising women. The session will convene July 2.

GORDON'S HARNESS SHOP BURNS

Fire Last Night Destroys Entire Stock, Valued at \$10,000.

A fire which broke out in Gordon's Harness Shop on West Broadway at 9:45 o'clock last night destroyed the entire stock of shoes and harness.

W. C. Kennedy, assistant fire chief, noticed a cloud of smoke on Broadway and upon investigation discovered the fire. The fire department left before an alarm was turned in. The fire was under control in fifteen minutes but none of the stock could be saved. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Ned Gordon, owner of the shop, estimated the value of the stock at \$10,000. Insurance covered about half of the loss. The building, which was owned by Mrs. R. D. Gordon, Gordon's mother, was damaged to the amount of \$1,000, according to Fire Chief F. M. Walden. The stock of Alex Hicks' grocery store which occupies the lower part of the building, was slightly damaged by water.

INSPECTS RECRUITING OFFICE

Captain W. H. Williams Served Government Twenty-two Years.

Captain W. H. Williams, assistant recruiting officer of the United States army for this district, visited the local office here yesterday. He was with the English-French tank corps and was the organizer and commander of the first American Tank Corps in France. He has served the government in every capacity from private soldier to his present grade of captain, covering a period of twenty-two years. In 1909 he was selected by the War Department from among the packmasters army of Cuban Pacification to take the prize pack training of the United States army at West Point. He saw service during the Spanish-American War, the Boxer Rebellion in China and was on duty seventeen months during the past war.

The recruiting results in this district pleased Captain Williams. He expressed his enthusiasm over the work in hand and was certain that good results would be obtained in recruiting after the boys have had their fill of home-coming.

Prof. L. S. Palmer Goes to Minnesota.

L. S. Palmer, assistant professor in dairy chemistry, will leave Columbia next month for a position in the University of Minnesota. Mr. Palmer received his B.S. degree from this University in 1909 and his Ph.D. degree in 1913. He was with the United States Dairy Division in Columbia for four years. He has been a member of the faculty for six years. In his new work he will be associated with Dr. C. H. Eckles.

Jack Adkins Charged With Assault.

Jack Adkins, who lives near Columbia, was arrested today by Deputy Sheriff Fred Brown and charged with assault on Jeff Barnes. The charge says that the assault was perpetrated about a month ago.

ALLIES VIRTUALLY RECOGNIZE OMSK ANTI-BOLSHEVIST

Big Four Wire Kolchak That His Reply Is Agreeable and They Accept His Support as Set Forth.

STILL WRANGLE OVER GERMANY

Foe's Entrance Into League Subject of Discussion and Disagreement in Peace Conference.

By United Press.

PARIS, June 12.—The Allies have wired Kolchak that his reply is a substantial agreement to their propositions and that they are willing to accept his support as set forth, it was officially announced today.

(This action virtually constitutes recognition of the Omsk anti-Bolshevik government.)

By FRED S. FERGUSON (United Press Staff Correspondent)

PARIS, June 12.—The Big Four are apparently entangled in discussions and disagreements such as have preceded conclusion of every important subject taken up since the beginning of the Peace Conference.

Following Premier Clemenceau's rejection of the revised plan for the admission of Germany into the League of Nations, which was understood to have named a specific date not far distant, the Big Four are trying to reach a compromise on that question.

The Big Four and Allied experts expect to complete the sections dealing with the League of Nations and the armistice of occupation today. There seems slight possibility of the reply being finished on schedule time tomorrow.

The Turkish peace delegates, who arrived at Toulon yesterday aboard a French warship, are today enroute to Vancresson, between Versailles and St. Cloud.

Allies Soon Reply to Germany.

By United Press.

PARIS, June 12.—A semi-official French note stated today that the Allies' reply to the German counter proposals was already formulated and that it would be transmitted to Foreign Minister Brockdorff-Rantzau tomorrow.

In other quarters it was stated that the reply would be given to the Germans on Monday and that seven days would be allowed for them to sign.

ASKS OMISSION OF ARTICLE 10

Senator Sterling Would Except U. S. Frontier Section of League.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—A resolution, seeking exception of the United States from compliance with article 10 of the League of Nations covenant, was introduced in the Senate today by Senator Sterling, South Dakota.

Article Ten provides for the territorial integrity of all the members of the League, and has been a storm center of opposition.

MRS. LAURA MILLION, 70, DIES

She Was Visiting at Home of Sister, Mrs. James Swearingen.

Mrs. Laura Million of 1116 East Ash street died of paralysis at Woodlandville at 8 o'clock last night at the home of her sister, Mrs. James Swearingen, where she was visiting. She was 70 years old. Funeral services will be held at Smith's Chapel at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Mrs. Million leaves a son, Buell W. Million, 101 East Broadway; two brothers, H. O. Wayland, 1308 Paris road, of the grocery of True & Wayland, and James Wayland of Fayette; five sisters, Mrs. J. W. Vesser, 419 West Broadway, Mrs. Perrella Jane Beasley, 1317 Anthony street, Mrs. Sarah E. Powell, 1207 East Walnut street, Mrs. James Swearingen and Mrs. G. H. True, 1116 East Ash street, where Mrs. Million had been making her home.

The grocery of True & Wayland, 815 Walnut street, will remain closed tomorrow until 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Knights of Columbus Deputy Here.

Luke E. Hart, state deputy of the Knights of Columbus, was in Columbia Monday observing the progress made in the erection of the Knights of Columbus Building under construction on South College avenue. Mr. Hart was well pleased with the progress, considering the fact that there was eighteen days of rain last month. He hopes that the building will be completed and ready for occupancy by September, or October at the latest.

Columbians Marry at Bowling Green.

A marriage license was issued on June 9 to James Palmer and Jessie Davis at Bowling Green, Mo. Both gave their addresses as Columbia. Neither is listed in the city directory here.